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Form 990

## Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

2012

Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except black lung benefit trust or private foundation)

Open to Public Inspection

A For the 2012 calendar year, or tax year beginning 07-01-2012, 2012, and ending 06-30-2013

B Check if applicable	C Name of organization BIG TWELVE CONFERENCE INC		D Employer identification number 75-2604555
<input type="checkbox"/> Address change	Doing Business As		
<input type="checkbox"/> Name change			
<input type="checkbox"/> Initial return	Number and street (or P O box if mail is not delivered to street address)	Room/suite	E Telephone number (469) 524-1000
<input type="checkbox"/> Terminated	400 EAST JOHN CARPENTER FREEWAY		
<input type="checkbox"/> Amended return	City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4	G Gross receipts \$ 217,104,334	
<input type="checkbox"/> Application pending	IRVING, TX 75062		
F Name and address of principal officer BOB BOWLSBY 400 EAST JOHN CARPENTER FREEWAY IRVING, TX 75062		H(a) Is this a group return for affiliates? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	

I Tax-exempt status  501(c)(3)  501(c) ( ) (insert no)  4947(a)(1) or  527

J Website: ► WWW.BIG12SPORTS.COM

K Form of organization  Corporation  Trust  Association  Other ► L Year of formation 1996 M State of legal domicile DE

## Part I Summary

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities ADVANCE STANDARDS OF SCHOLARSHIP, SPORTSMANSHIP AND EQUITY CONSISTENT WITH THE HIGHEST IDEALS OF CONFERENCE MEMBERSHIP ORGANIZE, PROMOTE AND ADMINISTER INTERCOLLEGIATE ATHLETICS AMONG ITS MEMBER INSTITUTIONS OPTIMIZE REVENUES AND PROVIDE SUPPORTING SERVICE SOMPATIBLE WITH BOTH ACADEMIC AND COMPETITIVE EXCELLENCE	
2 Check this box ► if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets	
3 Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a) . . . . .	3 10
4 Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b) . . . . .	4 0
5 Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2012 (Part V, line 2a) . . . . .	5 32
6 Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary) . . . . .	6
7a Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12 . . . . .	7a 0
b Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34 . . . . .	7b

8 Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h) . . . . .	Prior Year 254,677	Current Year 259,903
9 Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g) . . . . .	158,478,911	214,752,607
10 Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d) . . . . .	94,901	108,116
11 Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	682,009	1,983,708
12 Total revenue—add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12) . . . . .	159,510,498	217,104,334

13 Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3) . . . . .	119,564,348	185,576,805
14 Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4) . . . . .		0
15 Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10)	6,327,024	5,768,527
16a Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e) . . . . .		0
b Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) ► <sup>0</sup>		
17 Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24e) . . . . .	24,608,334	23,341,833
18 Total expenses Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	150,499,706	214,687,165
19 Revenue less expenses Subtract line 18 from line 12 . . . . .	9,010,792	2,417,169

20 Total assets (Part X, line 16) . . . . .	Beginning of Current Year 65,311,349	End of Year 65,141,652
21 Total liabilities (Part X, line 26) . . . . .	45,697,584	43,110,718
22 Net assets or fund balances Subtract line 21 from line 20 . . . . .	19,613,765	22,030,934

## Part II Signature Block

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge

Sign Here	***** Signature of officer BOB BOWLSBY COMMISSIONER Type or print name and title	2014-01-15 Date
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Paid Preparer Use Only	Print/Type preparer's name RUSTY CREECH	Preparer's signature	Date 2014-02-17	Check <input type="checkbox"/> if self-employed	PTIN
	Firm's name ► CATON CONSULTING GROUP PC			Firm's EIN ►	
	Firm's address ► 105 DECKER CT STE 870 IRVING, TX 750623970			Phone no (972) 650-1900	

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? (see instructions) . . . . .  Yes  No

### **Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments**

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part III

**1** Briefly describe the organization's mission

ADVANCE STANDARDS OF SCHOLARSHIP, SPORTSMANSHIP AND EQUITY CONSISTENT WITH THE HIGHEST IDEALS OF CONFERENCE MEMBERSHIP ORGANIZE, PROMOTE AND ADMINISTER INTERCOLLEGIATE ATHLETICS AMONG ITS MEMBER INSTITUTIONS OPTIMIZE REVENUES AND PROVIDE SUPPORTING SERVICES COMPATIBLE WITH BOTH ACADEMIC AND COMPETITIVE EXCELLENCE

2 Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the prior Form 990 or 990-EZ?  Yes  No

If "Yes," describe these new services on Schedule C

3 Did the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program services?  Yes  No

If "Yes," describe these changes on Schedule O.

4 Describe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as measured by expenses. Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations are required to report the amount of grants and allocations to others, the total expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported.

**4a** (Code ) (Expenses \$ 185,576,805 including grants of \$ 185,576,805 ) (Revenue \$ DISTRIBUCTIONS MADE TO EACH OF THE BIG 12 CONFERENCE'S MEMBER INSTITUTIONS

4b (Code ) (Expenses \$ 14,639,370 including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ )  
MEMBER PARTICIPATION SUBSIDIES PAID TO THE SCHOOLS FOR THEIR PARTICIPATION IN BIG 12 CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS AND BOWL GAMES

**4c** (Code ) (Expenses \$ including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ )

(Code ) (Expenses \$ 7,316,325 including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ )

OTHER PROGRAM RELATED SERVICE EXPENSES SUCH AS NON-EMPLOYEE PROFESSIONAL FEES, ADVERTISING, TRAVEL, ETC.

**4d** Other program services (Describe in Schedule O)

(Expenses \$ 7,316,325 including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ )

**4e Total program service expenses**  **207,532,500**

**Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules**

1 Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)? If "Yes," complete Schedule A

2 Is the organization required to complete *Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors* (see instructions)?

3 Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I

4 **Section 501(c)(3) organizations.** Did the organization engage in lobbying activities, or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II

5 Is the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization that receives membership dues, assessments, or similar amounts as defined in Revenue Procedure 98-19? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III

6 Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any similar funds or accounts for which donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I

7 Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas, or historic structures? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II

8 Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III

9 Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21 for escrow or custodial account liability, serve as a custodian for amounts not listed in Part X, or provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IV

10 Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in temporarily restricted endowments, permanent endowments, or quasi-endowments? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V

11 If the organization's answer to any of the following questions is "Yes," then complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable

- a Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VI
- b Did the organization report an amount for investments—other securities in Part X, line 12 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VII
- c Did the organization report an amount for investments—program related in Part X, line 13 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VIII
- d Did the organization report an amount for other assets in Part X, line 15 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IX
- e Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X
- f Did the organization's separate or consolidated financial statements for the tax year include a footnote that addresses the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740)? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part XI

12a Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI and XII

- b Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If "Yes," and if the organization answered "No" to line 12a, then completing Schedule D, Parts XI and XII is optional

13 Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E

14a Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?

- b Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, investment, and program service activities outside the United States, or aggregate foreign investments valued at \$100,000 or more? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts I and IV

15 Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or assistance to any organization or entity located outside the United States? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts II and IV

16 Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or assistance to individuals located outside the United States? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts III and IV

17 Did the organization report a total of more than \$15,000 of expenses for professional fundraising services on Part IX, column (A), lines 6 and 11e? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I (see instructions)

18 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II

19 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III

20a Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? If "Yes," complete Schedule H

- b If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return?

	Yes	No
1	Yes	
2	Yes	
3		No
4		No
5		No
6		No
7		No
8		No
9		No
10		No
11a	Yes	
11b		No
11c		No
11d		No
11e	Yes	
11f		No
12a	Yes	
12b		No
13		No
14a		No
14b		No
15		No
16		No
17		No
18		No
19		No
20a		No
20b		

**Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)**

21	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants and other assistance to any government or organization in the United States on Part IX, column (A), line 1? If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II	21	Yes	
22	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants and other assistance to individuals in the United States on Part IX, column (A), line 2? If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III	22	No	
23	Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, line 3, 4, or 5 about compensation of the organization's current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees? If "Yes," complete Schedule J	23	Yes	
24a	Did the organization have a tax-exempt bond issue with an outstanding principal amount of more than \$100,000 as of the last day of the year, that was issued after December 31, 2002? If "Yes," answer lines 24b through 24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25	24a	No	
b	Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception?	24b		
c	Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease any tax-exempt bonds?	24c		
d	Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?	24d		
25a	<b>Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations.</b> Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I	25a	No	
b	Is the organization aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior year, and that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I	25b	No	
26	Was a loan to or by a current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, highest compensated employee, or disqualified person outstanding as of the end of the organization's tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II	26	No	
27	Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee, substantial contributor or employee thereof, a grant selection committee member, or to a 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III	27	No	
28	Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties (see Schedule L, Part IV instructions for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions)	28a	Yes	
a	A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	28b	No	
b	A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	28c	Yes	
c	An entity of which a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee (or a family member thereof) was an officer, director, trustee, or direct or indirect owner? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	29	No	
29	Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M	30	No	
30	Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M	31	No	
31	Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I	32	No	
32	Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II	33	No	
33	Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301 7701-2 and 301 7701-3? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I	34	No	
34	Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part II, III, or IV, and Part V, line 1	35a	No	
35a	Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?	35b		
b	If "Yes" to line 35a, did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2	36	No	
36	<b>Section 501(c)(3) organizations.</b> Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2	37	No	
37	Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI	38	Yes	
38	Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11b and 19?			
	<b>Note.</b> All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O			

**Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance**

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part V

		Yes	No
<b>1a</b> Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096 Enter -0- if not applicable	<b>1a</b>	895	
<b>b</b> Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a Enter -0- if not applicable	<b>1b</b>	0	
<b>c</b> Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?	<b>1c</b>		No
<b>2a</b> Enter the number of employees reported on Form W-3, Transmittal of Wage and Tax Statements, filed for the calendar year ending with or within the year covered by this return	<b>2a</b>	32	
<b>b</b> If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns? <b>Note.</b> If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to e-file (see instructions)	<b>2b</b>	Yes	
<b>3a</b> Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?	<b>3a</b>		No
<b>b</b> If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O	<b>3b</b>		
<b>4a</b> At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in, or a signature or other authority over, a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)?	<b>4a</b>		No
<b>b</b> If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country See instructions for filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22 1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts			
<b>5a</b> Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?	<b>5a</b>		No
<b>b</b> Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?	<b>5b</b>		No
<b>c</b> If "Yes," to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T?	<b>5c</b>		
<b>6a</b> Does the organization have annual gross receipts that are normally greater than \$100,000, and did the organization solicit any contributions that were not tax deductible as charitable contributions?	<b>6a</b>		No
<b>b</b> If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible?	<b>6b</b>		
<b>7 Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).</b>	<b>7a</b>		
<b>a</b> Did the organization receive a payment in excess of \$75 made partly as a contribution and partly for goods and services provided to the payor?	<b>7b</b>		
<b>b</b> If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?	<b>7c</b>		
<b>c</b> Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282?	<b>7d</b>		
<b>d</b> If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year	<b>7e</b>		
<b>e</b> Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?	<b>7f</b>		
<b>f</b> Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?	<b>7g</b>		
<b>g</b> If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?	<b>7h</b>		
<b>h</b> If the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C?	<b>8</b>		
<b>8 Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds and section 509(a)(3) supporting organizations.</b> Did the supporting organization, or a donor advised fund maintained by a sponsoring organization, have excess business holdings at any time during the year?	<b>9a</b>		
<b>9 Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.</b>	<b>9b</b>		
<b>a</b> Did the organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?			
<b>b</b> Did the organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?			
<b>10 Section 501(c)(7) organizations.</b> Enter	<b>10a</b>		
<b>a</b> Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12	<b>10b</b>		
<b>b</b> Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities			
<b>11 Section 501(c)(12) organizations.</b> Enter	<b>11a</b>		
<b>a</b> Gross income from members or shareholders	<b>11b</b>		
<b>b</b> Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them)			
<b>12a Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts.</b> Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041?	<b>12a</b>		
<b>b</b> If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year	<b>12b</b>		
<b>13 Section 501(c)(29) qualified nonprofit health insurance issuers.</b>	<b>13a</b>		
<b>a</b> Is the organization licensed to issue qualified health plans in more than one state? <b>Note.</b> See the instructions for additional information the organization must report on Schedule O	<b>13b</b>		
<b>b</b> Enter the amount of reserves the organization is required to maintain by the states in which the organization is licensed to issue qualified health plans	<b>13c</b>		
<b>14a</b> Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the tax year?	<b>14a</b>		No
<b>b</b> If "Yes," has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O	<b>14b</b>		

**Part VI Governance, Management, and Disclosure** For each "Yes" response to lines 2 through 7b below, and for a "No" response to lines 8a, 8b, or 10b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or changes in Schedule O. See instructions.

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part VI

### Section A. Governing Body and Management

		Yes	No
<b>1a</b> Enter the number of voting members of the governing body at the end of the tax year	<b>1a</b>	10	
If there are material differences in voting rights among members of the governing body, or if the governing body delegated broad authority to an executive committee or similar committee, explain in Schedule O			
<b>b</b> Enter the number of voting members included in line 1a, above, who are independent	<b>1b</b>	0	
<b>2</b> Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with any other officer, director, trustee, or key employee?	<b>2</b>		No
<b>3</b> Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct supervision of officers, directors or trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person?	<b>3</b>		No
<b>4</b> Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form 990 was filed?	<b>4</b>		No
<b>5</b> Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's assets?	<b>5</b>		No
<b>6</b> Did the organization have members or stockholders?	<b>6</b>	Yes	
<b>7a</b> Did the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who had the power to elect or appoint one or more members of the governing body?	<b>7a</b>	Yes	
<b>b</b> Are any governance decisions of the organization reserved to (or subject to approval by) members, stockholders, or persons other than the governing body?	<b>7b</b>		No
<b>8</b> Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following	<b>8a</b>	Yes	
<b>a</b> The governing body?	<b>8b</b>	Yes	
<b>b</b> Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?	<b>9</b>	Yes	
<b>9</b> Is there any officer, director, trustee, or key employee listed in Part VII, Section A, who cannot be reached at the organization's mailing address? If "Yes," provide the names and addresses in Schedule O			

### Section B. Policies (This Section B requests information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code.)

	Yes	No
<b>10a</b> Did the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates?	<b>10a</b>	No
<b>b</b> If "Yes," did the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such chapters, affiliates, and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with the organization's exempt purposes?	<b>10b</b>	
<b>11a</b> Has the organization provided a complete copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form?	<b>11a</b>	Yes
<b>b</b> Describe in Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review this Form 990		
<b>12a</b> Did the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If "No," go to line 13	<b>12a</b>	Yes
<b>b</b> Were officers, directors, or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts?	<b>12b</b>	Yes
<b>c</b> Did the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes," describe in Schedule O how this was done	<b>12c</b>	Yes
<b>13</b> Did the organization have a written whistleblower policy?	<b>13</b>	Yes
<b>14</b> Did the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy?	<b>14</b>	Yes
<b>15</b> Did the process for determining compensation of the following persons include a review and approval by independent persons, comparability data, and contemporaneous substantiation of the deliberation and decision?	<b>15a</b>	Yes
<b>a</b> The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official	<b>15b</b>	Yes
<b>b</b> Other officers or key employees of the organization		
If "Yes" to line 15a or 15b, describe the process in Schedule O (see instructions)		
<b>16a</b> Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrangement with a taxable entity during the year?	<b>16a</b>	No
<b>b</b> If "Yes," did the organization follow a written policy or procedure requiring the organization to evaluate its participation in joint venture arrangements under applicable federal tax law, and take steps to safeguard the organization's exempt status with respect to such arrangements?	<b>16b</b>	

### Section C. Disclosure

- 17 List the States with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed
- 18 Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Form 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T (501(c) (3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply
 

Own website  Another's website  Upon request  Other (explain in Schedule O)
- 19 Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how), the organization made its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public during the tax year
- 20 State the name, physical address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the books and records of the organization  
BIG 12 CONFERENCE INC 400 EAST JOHN CARPENTER FREEWAY IRVING, TX (469) 524-1018

**Part VII Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors**Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part VII **Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees**

1a Complete this table for all persons required to be listed. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year

• List all of the organization's **current** officers, directors, trustees (whether individuals or organizations), regardless of amount of compensation. Enter -0- in columns (D), (E), and (F) if no compensation was paid• List all of the organization's **current** key employees, if any. See instructions for definition of "key employee."• List the organization's five **current** highest compensated employees (other than an officer, director, trustee or key employee) who received reportable compensation (Box 5 of Form W-2 and/or Box 7 of Form 1099-MISC) of more than \$100,000 from the organization and any related organizations• List all of the organization's **former** officers, key employees, or highest compensated employees who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations• List all of the organization's **former directors or trustees** that received, in the capacity as a former director or trustee of the organization, more than \$10,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations

List persons in the following order: individual trustees or directors, institutional trustees, officers, key employees, highest compensated employees, and former such persons

 Check this box if neither the organization nor any related organization compensated any current officer, director, or trustee

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099- MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099- MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional Trustee	Office	Key employee	Highest compensated	Former			
(1) VICTOR BOSCHINI JR CHANCELLOR	1 00	X						0	1,029,724	456,575
(2) KENNETH STARR PRESIDENT	1 00	X						0	721,690	132,861
(3) JAMES P CLEMENTS PRESIDENT	1 00	X						0	655,776	25,644
(4) WILLIAM POWERS PRESIDENT	1 00	X						0	613,908	123,599
(5) BERNADETTE GRAY-LITTLE CHANCELLOR	1 00	X						0	465,206	82,134
(6) STEVEN LEATH PRESIDENT	1 00	X						0	448,800	120,057
(7) DAVID BOREN PRESIDENT	1 00	X						0	441,030	85,998
(8) KIRK SCHULZ PRESIDENT	1 00	X						0	406,777	59,495
(9) BURNS HARGIS PRESIDENT	1 00	X						0	365,509	27,058
(10) GUY BAILEY PRESIDENT	1 00	X						0	351,228	23,712
(11) LAWRENCE SCHOVANEC PRESIDENT	1 00	X						0	257,388	29,388
(12) BOB BOWLSBY COMMISSIONER	40 00		X					993,856	0	214,746
(13) TIM WEISER DEPUTY COMM	40 00		X					221,730	0	48,613
(14) TIM ALLEN SR ASSOC COM	40 00		X					164,591	0	44,013
(15) DRU HANCOCK SR ASSOC COM	40 00		X					163,690	0	32,243
(16) STEVE PACE CFO	40 00			X				155,190	0	29,923
(17) JOHN UNDERWOOD ASSOC COMMIS	40 00				X			148,093	0	39,841

**Part VII Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees (continued)**

<b>1b Sub-Total . . . . .</b>	►			
<b>c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A . . .</b>	►			
<b>d Total (add lines 1b and 1c) . . . . .</b>	►	2,111,186	5,757,036	1,649,045

2 Total number of individuals (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization ►8

	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>3</b> Did the organization list any <b>former</b> officer, director or trustee, key employee, or highest compensated employee on line 1a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual</i>	<b>3</b>	No
<b>4</b> For any individual listed on line 1a, is the sum of reportable compensation and other compensation from the organization and related organizations greater than \$150,000? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual</i>	<b>4</b>	Yes
<b>5</b> Did any person listed on line 1a receive or accrue compensation from any unrelated organization or individual for services rendered to the organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such person</i>	<b>5</b>	No

## **Section B. Independent Contractors**

**1** Complete this table for your five highest compensated independent contractors that received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.

(A) Name and business address	(B) Description of services	(C) Compensation
POLGINELLI SHUGART PC 700 W 47TH SUITE 1000 KANSAS CITY MO 64112	LEGAL SERVICES	1,009,912
WALT ANDERSON , 5 PALM MEADOWS CT SUGAR LAND TX 77479	OFFICIAL COORD	204,930
NEINAS SPORTS SERVICES 3005 CENTER GREEN DRIVE 200 BOULDER CO 80301	INTERM COMMIS	106,026

2 Total number of independent contractors (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization **3**

**Part VIII Statement of Revenue**

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part VIII

		(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512, 513, or 514
<b>Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Other Similar Amounts</b>	<b>1a</b> Federated campaigns . . . . .	<b>1a</b>			
	<b>b</b> Membership dues . . . . .	<b>1b</b>			
	<b>c</b> Fundraising events . . . . .	<b>1c</b>			
	<b>d</b> Related organizations . . . . .	<b>1d</b>			
	<b>e</b> Government grants (contributions)	<b>1e</b>			
	<b>f</b> All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above	<b>1f</b>	259,903		
	<b>g</b> Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f \$				
	<b>h</b> <b>Total.</b> Add lines 1a-1f . . . . .		259,903		
<b>Program Service Revenue</b>	<b>2a</b> TELEVISION CONTRACTS	<b>Business Code</b>	132,261,536	132,261,536	
	<b>b</b> BOWL GAMES		40,817,450	40,817,450	
	<b>c</b> NCAA REVENUE		35,439,121	35,439,121	
	<b>d</b> TICKET SALES		6,234,500	6,234,500	
	<b>e</b>				
	<b>f</b> All other program service revenue				
	<b>g</b> <b>Total.</b> Add lines 2a-2f . . . . .		214,752,607		
	<b>3</b> Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts) . . . . .		108,116		108,116
<b>4</b> Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds . . . . .					
<b>5</b> Royalties . . . . .		350,729		350,729	
<b>6a</b> Gross rents	(i) Real				
<b>b</b> Less rental expenses	(ii) Personal				
<b>c</b> Rental income or (loss)					
<b>d</b> Net rental income or (loss) . . . . .					
<b>7a</b> Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	(i) Securities				
<b>b</b> Less cost or other basis and sales expenses	(ii) Other				
<b>c</b> Gain or (loss)					
<b>d</b> Net gain or (loss) . . . . .					
<b>8a</b> Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ _____ of contributions reported on line 1c) See Part IV, line 18 . . . . .	a				
<b>b</b> Less direct expenses . . . . .	b				
<b>c</b> Net income or (loss) from fundraising events . . . . .					
<b>9a</b> Gross income from gaming activities See Part IV, line 19 . . . . .	a				
<b>b</b> Less direct expenses . . . . .	b				
<b>c</b> Net income or (loss) from gaming activities . . . . .					
<b>10a</b> Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances . . . . .	a				
<b>b</b> Less cost of goods sold . . . . .	b				
<b>c</b> Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory . . . . .					
<b>Miscellaneous Revenue</b>	<b>Business Code</b>				
<b>11a</b> OTHER REVENUE		1,624,329		1,624,329	
<b>b</b> RADIO		8,650		8,650	
<b>c</b>					
<b>d</b> All other revenue . . . . .					
<b>e</b> <b>Total.</b> Add lines 11a-11d . . . . .		1,632,979			
<b>12</b> <b>Total revenue.</b> See Instructions . . . . .		217,104,334	214,752,607	2,091,824	

**Part IX Statement of Functional Expenses**

Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must complete all columns All other organizations must complete column (A)

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part IX 

<b>Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.</b>	<b>(A) Total expenses</b>	<b>(B) Program service expenses</b>	<b>(C) Management and general expenses</b>	<b>(D) Fundraising expenses</b>
1 Grants and other assistance to governments and organizations in the United States See Part IV, line 21	185,576,805	185,576,805		
2 Grants and other assistance to individuals in the United States See Part IV, line 22				
3 Grants and other assistance to governments, organizations, and individuals outside the United States See Part IV, lines 15 and 16				
4 Benefits paid to or for members				
5 Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees	1,629,679		1,629,679	
6 Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)				
7 Other salaries and wages	2,794,417		2,794,417	
8 Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions)	586,879		586,879	
9 Other employee benefits	554,104		554,104	
10 Payroll taxes	203,448		203,448	
11 Fees for services (non-employees)				
a Management				
b Legal	644,301	267,633	376,668	
c Accounting	31,127		31,127	
d Lobbying				
e Professional fundraising services See Part IV, line 17				
f Investment management fees				
g Other (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 11g expenses on Schedule O)	1,851,299	1,659,205	192,094	
12 Advertising and promotion	488,361	487,277	1,084	
13 Office expenses	401,517	239,489	162,028	
14 Information technology	67,568	6,684	60,884	
15 Royalties				
16 Occupancy	834,253	684,227	150,026	
17 Travel	414,220	414,220		
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials				
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings				
20 Interest				
21 Payments to affiliates				
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	224,101		224,101	
23 Insurance	94,714	6,600	88,114	
24 Other expenses Itemize expenses not covered above (List miscellaneous expenses in line 24e If line 24e amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 24e expenses on Schedule O)				
a MEMBER PARTICIPATION SUBS	14,639,370	14,639,370		
b MISCELLANEOUS	3,651,002	3,550,990	100,012	
c				
d				
e All other expenses				
<b>25 Total functional expenses.</b> Add lines 1 through 24e	214,687,165	207,532,500	7,154,665	0
<b>26 Joint costs.</b> Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720)				

**Part X Balance Sheet**Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part X 

		<b>(A)</b> Beginning of year	<b>(B)</b> End of year
<b>Assets</b>			
1	Cash—non-interest-bearing	6,683,830	<b>1</b>
2	Savings and temporary cash investments	2	
3	Pledges and grants receivable, net	3	
4	Accounts receivable, net	2,027,866	<b>4</b>
5	Loans and other receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees Complete Part II of Schedule L		
6	Loans and other receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)), persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B), and contributing employers and sponsoring organizations of section 501(c)(9) voluntary employees' beneficiary organizations (see instructions) Complete Part II of Schedule L		<b>5</b>
7	Notes and loans receivable, net	53,250,000	<b>7</b>
8	Inventories for sale or use	8	
9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	24,237	<b>9</b>
10a	Land, buildings, and equipment cost or other basis Complete Part VI of Schedule D	<b>10a</b>	4,691,329
b	Less accumulated depreciation	<b>10b</b>	1,342,219
		3,325,416	<b>10c</b>
11	Investments—publicly traded securities		<b>11</b>
12	Investments—other securities See Part IV, line 11		<b>12</b>
13	Investments—program-related See Part IV, line 11		<b>13</b>
14	Intangible assets		<b>14</b>
15	Other assets See Part IV, line 11		<b>15</b>
16	<b>Total assets.</b> Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)	65,311,349	<b>16</b>
<b>Liabilities</b>			
17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses	437,681	<b>17</b>
18	Grants payable	18	
19	Deferred revenue	259,903	<b>19</b>
20	Tax-exempt bond liabilities	20	
21	Escrow or custodial account liability Complete Part IV of Schedule D		<b>21</b>
22	Loans and other payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons Complete Part II of Schedule L		<b>22</b>
23	Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties	23	
24	Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties	24	
25	Other liabilities (including federal income tax, payables to related third parties, and other liabilities not included on lines 17-24) Complete Part X of Schedule D	45,000,000	<b>25</b>
26	<b>Total liabilities.</b> Add lines 17 through 25	45,697,584	<b>26</b>
<b>Net Assets or Fund Balances</b>			
	<b>Organizations that follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.</b>		
27	Unrestricted net assets	19,613,765	<b>27</b>
28	Temporarily restricted net assets	28	
29	Permanently restricted net assets	29	
	<b>Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 30 through 34.</b>		
30	Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds	30	
31	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building or equipment fund	31	
32	Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds	32	
33	Total net assets or fund balances	19,613,765	<b>33</b>
34	<b>Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances</b>	65,311,349	<b>34</b>

**Part XI Reconciliation of Net Assets**Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part XI 

1	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12) . . . . .	1	217,104,334
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25) . . . . .	2	214,687,165
3	Revenue less expenses Subtract line 2 from line 1 . . . . .	3	2,417,169
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A)) . . . . .	4	19,613,765
5	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments . . . . .	5	
6	Donated services and use of facilities . . . . .	6	
7	Investment expenses . . . . .	7	
8	Prior period adjustments . . . . .	8	
9	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O) . . . . .	9	
10	Net assets or fund balances at end of year Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 33, column (B))	10	22,030,934

**Part XII Financial Statements and Reporting**Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part XII 

	Yes	No
1 Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990 <input type="checkbox"/> Cash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain in Schedule O		
2a Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant? If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were compiled or reviewed on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both <input type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separate basis	2a	No
2b Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant? If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were audited on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both <input type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separate basis	2b	Yes
2c If "Yes," to line 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant? If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain in Schedule O	2c	Yes
3a As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133? 3b If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required audit or audits, explain why in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits	3a	No
	3b	

**SCHEDULE A**  
(Form 990 or 990EZ)**Public Charity Status and Public Support****2012****Open to Public  
Inspection**Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

Complete if the organization is a section 501(c)(3) organization or a section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust.

► Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ. ► See separate instructions.

**Name of the organization**  
BIG TWELVE CONFERENCE INC**Employer identification number**

75-2604555

**Part I Reason for Public Charity Status** (All organizations must complete this part.) See instructions.

The organization is not a private foundation because it is (For lines 1 through 11, check only one box)

1  A church, convention of churches, or association of churches described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(i)**.

2  A school described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)**. (Attach Schedule E )

3  A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii)**.

4  A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii)**. Enter the hospital's name, city, and state \_\_\_\_\_

5  An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv)**. (Complete Part II )

6  A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(v)**.

7  An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)**. (Complete Part II )

8  A community trust described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)** (Complete Part II )

9  An organization that normally receives (1) more than 33 1/3% of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross receipts from activities related to its exempt functions—subject to certain exceptions, and (2) no more than 33 1/3% of its support from gross investment income and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 tax) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975 See **section 509(a)(2)**. (Complete Part III )

10  An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety. See **section 509(a)(4)**.

11  An organization organized and operated exclusively for the benefit of, to perform the functions of, or to carry out the purposes of one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2) See **section 509(a)(3)**. Check the box that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 11e through 11h  
 a  Type I   b  Type II   c  Type III - Functionally integrated   d  Type III - Non-functionally integrated

e  By checking this box, I certify that the organization is not controlled directly or indirectly by one or more disqualified persons other than foundation managers and other than one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2)

f If the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type II, or Type III supporting organization, check this box

g Since August 17, 2006, has the organization accepted any gift or contribution from any of the following persons?

(i) A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described in (ii) and (iii) below, the governing body of the supported organization?

(ii) A family member of a person described in (i) above?

(iii) A 35% controlled entity of a person described in (i) or (ii) above?

h Provide the following information about the supported organization(s)

	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>11g(i)</b>		No
<b>11g(ii)</b>		No
<b>11g(iii)</b>		No

<b>(i) Name of supported organization</b>	<b>(ii) EIN</b>	<b>(iii) Type of organization (described on lines 1- 9 above or IRC section (see instructions))</b>	<b>(iv) Is the organization in col (i) listed in your governing document?</b>		<b>(v) Did you notify the organization in col (i) of your support?</b>		<b>(vi) Is the organization in col (i) organized in the U S ?</b>		<b>(vii) Amount of monetary support</b>
			<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>	
See Additional Data Table									
<b>Total</b>									185,576,805

**Part II Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Sections 170(b)(1)(A)(iv) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)**

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 5, 7, or 8 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part III. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part III.)

**Section A. Public Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2008	(b) 2009	(c) 2010	(d) 2011	(e) 2012	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received (Do not include any "unusual grants")						
2 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
3 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
<b>4 Total.</b> Add lines 1 through 3						
5 The portion of total contributions by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) included on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the amount shown on line 11, column (f)						
<b>6 Public support.</b> Subtract line 5 from line 4						

**Section B. Total Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2008	(b) 2009	(c) 2010	(d) 2011	(e) 2012	(f) Total
7 Amounts from line 4						
8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources						
9 Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
10 Other income Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV)						
<b>11 Total support</b> (Add lines 7 through 10)						
12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc (see instructions)					<b>12</b>	
<b>13 First five years.</b> If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and <b>stop here</b> . . . . .						

**Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage**

14 Public support percentage for 2012 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f))	<b>14</b>	
15 Public support percentage for 2011 Schedule A, Part II, line 14	<b>15</b>	
<b>16a 33 1/3% support test—2012.</b> If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and <b>stop here</b> . The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization		►
<b>b 33 1/3% support test—2011.</b> If the organization did not check a box on line 13 or 16a, and line 15 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and <b>stop here</b> . The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization		►
<b>17a 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2012.</b> If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, or 16b, and line 14 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and <b>stop here</b> . Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization		►
<b>b 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2011.</b> If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, or 17a, and line 15 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and <b>stop here</b> . Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization		►
<b>18 Private foundation.</b> If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a, or 17b, check this box and see instructions		►

**Part III Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Section 509(a)(2)**

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 9 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part II. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part II.)

**Section A. Public Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2008	(b) 2009	(c) 2010	(d) 2011	(e) 2012	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received (Do not include any "unusual grants")						
2 Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or facilities furnished in any activity that is related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose						
3 Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513						
4 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
5 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
<b>6 Total.</b> Add lines 1 through 5						
<b>7a</b> Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons						
<b>b</b> Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons that exceed the greater of \$5,000 or 1% of the amount on line 13 for the year						
<b>c</b> Add lines 7a and 7b						
<b>8 Public support</b> (Subtract line 7c from line 6 )						

**Section B. Total Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2008	(b) 2009	(c) 2010	(d) 2011	(e) 2012	(f) Total
9 Amounts from line 6						
<b>10a</b> Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources						
<b>b</b> Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975						
<b>c</b> Add lines 10a and 10b						
<b>11</b> Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
<b>12</b> Other income Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV )						
<b>13 Total support.</b> (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12 )						
<b>14 First five years.</b> If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and <b>stop here</b>						

**Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage**

15 Public support percentage for 2012 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	15
16 Public support percentage from 2011 Schedule A, Part III, line 15	16

**Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage**

17 Investment income percentage for 2012 (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	17
18 Investment income percentage from 2011 Schedule A, Part III, line 17	18
<b>19a 33 1/3% support tests—2012.</b> If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 17 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and <b>stop here</b> . The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization	
<b>b 33 1/3% support tests—2011.</b> If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 33 1/3% and line 18 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and <b>stop here</b> . The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization	
<b>20 Private foundation.</b> If the organization did not check a box on line 14, 19a, or 19b, check this box and see instructions	

**Part IV** **Supplemental Information.** Complete this part to provide the explanations required by Part II, line 10; Part II, line 17a or 17b; and Part III, line 12. Also complete this part for any additional information. (See instructions).

**Facts And Circumstances Test**

**Explanation**

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## Additional Data

**Software ID:**  
**Software Version:**

**EIN:** 75-2604555

**Name:** BIG TWELVE CONFERENCE INC

**Form 990, Sch A, Part I, Line 11h - Provide the following information about the supported organization(s).**

<b>(i)</b> Name of Supported Organization	<b>(ii)</b> EIN	<b>(iii)</b> Type of organization (described on lines 1- 9 above or IRC section )	<b>(iv)</b> Is the organization in (i) listed in your governing document?		<b>(v)</b> Did you notify the organization in (i) of your support?		<b>(vi)</b> Is the organization in (i) organized in the U S ?		<b>(vii)</b> Amount of support?
			<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>	
BAYLOR UNIVERSITY	741159753	2	Yes			No	Yes		20942667
IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY	426004224	2	Yes			No	Yes		20633992
UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS	486033929	2	Yes			No	Yes		20977927
KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY	486098838	2	Yes			No	Yes		20478385
UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA	736017987	2	Yes			No	Yes		21344540
OKLAHOMA STATE UNIVERSITY	736017987	2	Yes			No	Yes		20867815
UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS	746000203	2	Yes			No	Yes		20952870
TEXAS TECH UNIVERSITY	756002622	2	Yes			No	Yes		20788719
WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY	556000842	2	Yes			No	Yes		8780285
TEXAS CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY	750827465	2	Yes			No	Yes		9809605

**SCHEDULE D**  
(Form 990)**Supplemental Financial Statements****2012****Open to Public  
Inspection**Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

► Complete if the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11a, 11b, 11c, 11d, 11e, 11f, 12a, or 12b  
 ► Attach to Form 990. ► See separate instructions.

**Name of the organization**  
BIG TWELVE CONFERENCE INC**Employer identification number**

75-2604555

**Part I Organizations Maintaining Donor Advised Funds or Other Similar Funds or Accounts.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 6.

	(a) Donor advised funds	(b) Funds and other accounts
1 Total number at end of year		
2 Aggregate contributions to (during year)		
3 Aggregate grants from (during year)		
4 Aggregate value at end of year		

5 Did the organization inform all donors and donor advisors in writing that the assets held in donor advised funds are the organization's property, subject to the organization's exclusive legal control?  Yes  No

6 Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, and donor advisors in writing that grant funds can be used only for charitable purposes and not for the benefit of the donor or donor advisor, or for any other purpose conferring impermissible private benefit?  Yes  No

**Part II Conservation Easements.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 7.

1 Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organization (check all that apply)	<input type="checkbox"/> Preservation of land for public use (e.g., recreation or education) <input type="checkbox"/> Preservation of an historically important land area
	<input type="checkbox"/> Protection of natural habitat <input type="checkbox"/> Preservation of a certified historic structure
	<input type="checkbox"/> Preservation of open space
2 Complete lines 2a through 2d if the organization held a qualified conservation contribution in the form of a conservation easement on the last day of the tax year	
a Total number of conservation easements	<b>Held at the End of the Year</b>
b Total acreage restricted by conservation easements	2a
c Number of conservation easements on a certified historic structure included in (a)	2b
d Number of conservation easements included in (c) acquired after 8/17/06, and not on a historic structure listed in the National Register	2c
3 Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, released, extinguished, or terminated by the organization during the tax year ► _____	2d
4 Number of states where property subject to conservation easement is located ► _____	
5 Does the organization have a written policy regarding the periodic monitoring, inspection, handling of violations, and enforcement of the conservation easements it holds? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
6 Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing conservation easements during the year ► _____	
7 Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing conservation easements during the year ► \$ _____	
8 Does each conservation easement reported on line 2(d) above satisfy the requirements of section 170(h)(4)(B)(i) and section 170(h)(4)(B)(ii)? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
9 In Part XIII, describe how the organization reports conservation easements in its revenue and expense statement, and balance sheet, and include, if applicable, the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that describes the organization's accounting for conservation easements	

**Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets.**  
Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 8.

1a If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (ASC 958), not to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide, in Part XIII, the text of the footnote to its financial statements that describes these items

b If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (ASC 958), to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide the following amounts relating to these items

(i) Revenues included in Form 990, Part VIII, line 1	► \$ _____
(ii) Assets included in Form 990, Part X	► \$ _____
2 If the organization received or held works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets for financial gain, provide the following amounts required to be reported under SFAS 116 (ASC 958) relating to these items	
a Revenues included in Form 990, Part VIII, line 1	► \$ _____
b Assets included in Form 990, Part X	► \$ _____

**Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets (continued)**

3 Using the organization's acquisition, accession, and other records, check any of the following that are a significant use of its collection items (check all that apply)

<b>a</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Public exhibition	<b>d</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Loan or exchange programs
<b>b</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Scholarly research	<b>e</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Other
<b>c</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Preservation for future generations	

4 Provide a description of the organization's collections and explain how they further the organization's exempt purpose in Part XIII

5 During the year, did the organization solicit or receive donations of art, historical treasures or other similar assets to be sold to raise funds rather than to be maintained as part of the organization's collection?  Yes  No

**Part IV Escrow and Custodial Arrangements.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 9, or reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21.

1a Is the organization an agent, trustee, custodian or other intermediary for contributions or other assets not included on Form 990, Part X?  Yes  No

b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII and complete the following table

	<b>Amount</b>
<b>1c</b>	
<b>1d</b>	
<b>1e</b>	
<b>1f</b>	

2a Did the organization include an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21?  Yes  No

b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII. Check here if the explanation has been provided in Part XIII

**Part V Endowment Funds.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 10.

	(a) Current year	(b) Prior year	(c) Two years back	(d) Three years back	(e) Four years back
<b>1a</b> Beginning of year balance . . . . .					
<b>b</b> Contributions . . . . .					
<b>c</b> Net investment earnings, gains, and losses . . . . .					
<b>d</b> Grants or scholarships . . . . .					
<b>e</b> Other expenditures for facilities and programs . . . . .					
<b>f</b> Administrative expenses . . . . .					
<b>g</b> End of year balance . . . . .					

2 Provide the estimated percentage of the current year end balance (line 1g, column (a)) held as

a Board designated or quasi-endowment

b Permanent endowment

c Temporarily restricted endowment

The percentages in lines 2a, 2b, and 2c should equal 100%

3a Are there endowment funds not in the possession of the organization that are held and administered for the organization by

(i) unrelated organizations . . . . .

(ii) related organizations . . . . .

b If "Yes" to 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R? . . . . .

	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>3a(i)</b>		
<b>3a(ii)</b>		
<b>3b</b>		

4 Describe in Part XIII the intended uses of the organization's endowment funds

**Part VI Land, Buildings, and Equipment.** See Form 990, Part X, line 10.

	Description of property	(a) Cost or other basis (investment)	(b) Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Accumulated depreciation	(d) Book value
<b>1a</b> Land . . . . .		888,030			888,030
<b>b</b> Buildings . . . . .		2,627,552	669,068		1,958,484
<b>c</b> Leasehold improvements . . . . .					
<b>d</b> Equipment . . . . .		1,175,747	673,151		502,596
<b>e</b> Other . . . . .					
<b>Total.</b> Add lines 1a through 1e (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10(c).) . . . . .					3,349,110

**Part VII Investments—Other Securities.** See Form 990, Part X, line 12

<b>(a) Description of security or category (including name of security)</b>	<b>(b) Book value</b>	<b>(c) Method of valuation</b>
		Cost or end-of-year market value
(1) Financial derivatives		
(2) Closely-held equity interests		
Other		
<b>Total</b> (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B), line 12.)		

**Total.** (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 12)

**Part VIII Investments—Program Related.** See Form 990, Part X, line 13

**Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 13.)**

**Part IX Other Assets.** See Form 990, Part X, line 15

**Total.** (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col.(B) line 15.)

**Part X Other Liabilities.** See Form 990, Part X, line 25

2. Fin 48 (ASC 740) Footnote In Part XIII, provide the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that reports the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740). Check here if the text of the footnote has been provided in Part XIII.

**Part XI Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Return**

1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements . . . . .	1	217,407,207
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12		
a	Net unrealized gains on investments . . . . .	2a	
b	Donated services and use of facilities . . . . .	2b	
c	Recoveries of prior year grants . . . . .	2c	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII) . . . . .	2d	302,873
e	Add lines 2a through 2d . . . . .	2e	302,873
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1 . . . . .	3	217,104,334
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1		
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b . . . . .	4a	
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII) . . . . .	4b	
c	Add lines 4a and 4b . . . . .	4c	
5	Total revenue Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 12) . . . . .	5	217,104,334

**Part XII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return**

1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements . . . . .	1	214,990,038
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25		
a	Donated services and use of facilities . . . . .	2a	
b	Prior year adjustments . . . . .	2b	
c	Other losses . . . . .	2c	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII) . . . . .	2d	302,873
e	Add lines 2a through 2d . . . . .	2e	302,873
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1 . . . . .	3	214,687,165
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1:		
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b . . . . .	4a	
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII) . . . . .	4b	
c	Add lines 4a and 4b . . . . .	4c	
5	Total expenses Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 18) . . . . .	5	214,687,165

**Part XIII Supplemental Information**

Complete this part to provide the descriptions required for Part II, lines 3, 5, and 9, Part III, lines 1a and 4, Part IV, lines 1b and 2b, Part V, line 4, Part X, line 2, Part XI, lines 2d and 4b, and Part XII, lines 2d and 4b. Also complete this part to provide any additional information

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
REVENUE AMOUNTS INCLUDED IN FINANCIALS - OTHER	SCHEDULE D, PAGE 4, PART XI, LINE 2D	RECLASS TO REFLECT REIMBURSEMENT OF PROGRAM EXP INCURRED 302,873
EXPENSE AMOUNTS INCLUDED IN FINANCIALS - OTHER	SCHEDULE D, PAGE 4, PART XII, LINE 2D	RECLASS TO REFLECT REIMBURSEMENT OF PROGRAM EXP INCURRED 302,873

**Schedule I  
(Form 990)****2012****Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations,  
Governments and Individuals in the United States**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 21 or 22.

► Attach to Form 990

**Open to Public  
Inspection**Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue ServiceName of the organization  
BIG TWELVE CONFERENCE INCEmployer identification number  
75-2604555**Part I General Information on Grants and Assistance**

1 Does the organization maintain records to substantiate the amount of the grants or assistance, the grantees' eligibility for the grants or assistance, and the selection criteria used to award the grants or assistance?  Yes  No

2 Describe in Part IV the organization's procedures for monitoring the use of grant funds in the United States

**Part II Grants and Other Assistance to Governments and Organizations in the United States.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 21, for any recipient that received more than \$5,000. Part II can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

(a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC Code section if applicable	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of non-cash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
(1) BAYLOR UNIVERSITY ONE BEAR PLACE WACO, TX 76711	74-1159753		20,942,667				ANNUAL DISTRIBUTION
(2) IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY BEARDSHEAR HALL 1750 AMES, IA 50011	62-6004224		20,633,992				ANNUAL DISTRIBUTION
(3) UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS STRONG HALL 230 LAWRENCE, KS 66045	48-6033929		20,977,927				ANNUAL DISTRIBUTION
(4) KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY ANDERSON HALL 110 MANHATTAN, KS 66506	48-6098838		20,478,385				ANNUAL DISTRIBUTION
(5) UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA 660 PARRINGTON OVAL 110 NORMAN, OK 73019	73-6017987		21,344,540				ANNUAL DISTRIBUTION
(6) OKLAHOMA STATE UNIVERSITY WHITEHURST HALL 107 STILLWATER, OK 74078	73-6017987		20,867,815				ANNUAL DISTRIBUTION
(7) UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS MAIN 400 AUSTIN, TX 78713	74-6000203		20,952,870				ANNUAL DISTRIBUTION
(8) TEXAS TECH UNIVERSITY 150 ADMIN BLDG 42005 LUBBOCK, TX 79409	75-6002622		20,788,719				ANNUAL DISTRIBUTION
(9) TEXAS CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY 2800 S UNIVERSITY DR FORT WORTH, TX 76129	75-0827465		9,809,605				ANNUAL DISTRIBUTION
(10) WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY 1550 UNIVERSITY AVE MORGANTOWN, WV 26506	55-6000842		8,780,285				ANNUAL DISTRIBUTION

2 Enter total number of section 501(c)(3) and government organizations listed in the line 1 table . . . . . ►

3 Enter total number of other organizations listed in the line 1 table . . . . . ►

**Part III Grants and Other Assistance to Individuals in the United States.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 22.  
 Part III can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

(a) Type of grant or assistance	(b) Number of recipients	(c) Amount of cash grant	(d) Amount of non-cash assistance	(e) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(f) Description of non-cash assistance

**Part IV Supplemental Information.**

Complete this part to provide the information required in Part I, line 2, Part III, column (b), and any other additional information

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation

**Software ID:****Software Version:****EIN:** 75-2604555**Name:** BIG TWELVE CONFERENCE INC**Form 990, Schedule I, Part II, Grants and Other Assistance to Governments and Organizations in the United States**

<b>(a) Name and address of organization or government</b>	<b>(b) EIN</b>	<b>(c) IRC Code section if applicable</b>	<b>(d) Amount of cash grant</b>	<b>(e) Amount of non-cash assistance</b>	<b>(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)</b>	<b>(g) Description of non-cash assistance</b>	<b>(h) Purpose of grant or assistance</b>
Baylor University One Bear Place Waco, TX 76711	74-1159753		20,942,667			ANNUAL DISTRIBUTION	
Iowa State University Beardshear Hall 1750 Ames, IA 50011	62-6004224		20,633,992			ANNUAL DISTRIBUTION	

**Form 990, Schedule I, Part II, Grants and Other Assistance to Governments and Organizations in the United States**

<b>(a) Name and address of organization or government</b>	<b>(b) EIN</b>	<b>(c) IRC Code section if applicable</b>	<b>(d) Amount of cash grant</b>	<b>(e) Amount of non-cash assistance</b>	<b>(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)</b>	<b>(g) Description of non-cash assistance</b>	<b>(h) Purpose of grant or assistance</b>
UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS STRONG HALL 230 LAWRENCE, KS 66045	48-6033929		20,977,927				ANNUAL DISTRIBUTION
KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY ANDERSON HALL 110 MANHATTAN, KS 66506	48-6098838		20,478,385				ANNUAL DISTRIBUTION

**Form 990, Schedule I, Part II, Grants and Other Assistance to Governments and Organizations in the United States**

<b>(a) Name and address of organization or government</b>	<b>(b) EIN</b>	<b>(c) IRC Code section if applicable</b>	<b>(d) Amount of cash grant</b>	<b>(e) Amount of non-cash assistance</b>	<b>(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)</b>	<b>(g) Description of non-cash assistance</b>	<b>(h) Purpose of grant or assistance</b>
UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA 660 PARRINGTON OVAL 110 NORMAN, OK 73019	73-6017987		21,344,540				ANNUAL DISTRIBUTION
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<b>(a) Name and address of organization or government</b>	<b>(b) EIN</b>	<b>(c) IRC Code section if applicable</b>	<b>(d) Amount of cash grant</b>	<b>(e) Amount of non-cash assistance</b>	<b>(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)</b>	<b>(g) Description of non-cash assistance</b>	<b>(h) Purpose of grant or assistance</b>
UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS MAIN 400 AUSTIN, TX 78713	74-6000203		20,952,870				ANNUAL DISTRIBUTION
TEXAS TECH UNIVERSITY 150 ADMIN BLDG 42005 LUBBOCK, TX 79409	75-6002622		20,788,719				ANNUAL DISTRIBUTION

**Form 990, Schedule I, Part II, Grants and Other Assistance to Governments and Organizations in the United States**

<b>(a) Name and address of organization or government</b>	<b>(b) EIN</b>	<b>(c) IRC Code section if applicable</b>	<b>(d) Amount of cash grant</b>	<b>(e) Amount of non-cash assistance</b>	<b>(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)</b>	<b>(g) Description of non-cash assistance</b>	<b>(h) Purpose of grant or assistance</b>
TEXAS CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY 2800 S UNIVERSITY DR FORT WORTH, TX 76129	75-0827465		9,809,605				ANNUAL DISTRIBUTION
WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY 1550 UNIVERSITY AVE MORGANTOWN, WV 26506	55-6000842		8,780,285				ANNUAL DISTRIBUTION

**Schedule J**  
(Form 990)**Compensation Information**

OMB No 1545-0047

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

For certain Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees  
**► Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, question 23.**  
**► Attach to Form 990. ► See separate instructions.**

**2012****Open to Public Inspection**Name of the organization  
BIG TWELVE CONFERENCE INC**Employer identification number**

75-2604555

**Part I Questions Regarding Compensation**

**1a** Check the appropriate box(es) if the organization provided any of the following to or for a person listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a. Complete Part III to provide any relevant information regarding these items

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> First-class or charter travel	<input type="checkbox"/> Housing allowance or residence for personal use
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Travel for companions	<input type="checkbox"/> Payments for business use of personal residence
<input type="checkbox"/> Tax indemnification and gross-up payments	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Health or social club dues or initiation fees
<input type="checkbox"/> Discretionary spending account	<input type="checkbox"/> Personal services (e.g., maid, chauffeur, chef)

**b** If any of the boxes in line 1a are checked, did the organization follow a written policy regarding payment or reimbursement or provision of all of the expenses described above? If "No," complete Part III to explain

**2** Did the organization require substantiation prior to reimbursing or allowing expenses incurred by all officers, directors, trustees, and the CEO/Executive Director, regarding the items checked in line 1a?

**3** Indicate which, if any, of the following the filing organization used to establish the compensation of the organization's CEO/Executive Director. Check all that apply. Do not check any boxes for methods used by a related organization to establish compensation of the CEO/Executive Director, but explain in Part III

<input type="checkbox"/> Compensation committee	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Written employment contract
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Independent compensation consultant	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Compensation survey or study
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form 990 of other organizations	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Approval by the board or compensation committee

**4** During the year, did any person listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a with respect to the filing organization or a related organization

**a** Receive a severance payment or change-of-control payment?

**b** Participate in, or receive payment from, a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan?

**c** Participate in, or receive payment from, an equity-based compensation arrangement?

If "Yes" to any of lines 4a-c, list the persons and provide the applicable amounts for each item in Part III

**Only 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations only must complete lines 5-9.**

**5** For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the revenues of

**a** The organization?

**b** Any related organization?

If "Yes," to line 5a or 5b, describe in Part III

**6** For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the net earnings of

**a** The organization?

**b** Any related organization?

If "Yes," to line 6a or 6b, describe in Part III

**7** For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization provide any non-fixed payments not described in lines 5 and 6? If "Yes," describe in Part III

**8** Were any amounts reported in Form 990, Part VII, paid or accrued pursuant to a contract that was subject to the initial contract exception described in Regulations section 53.4958-4(a)(3)? If "Yes," describe in Part III

**9** If "Yes" to line 8, did the organization also follow the rebuttable presumption procedure described in Regulations section 53.4958-6(c)?

	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>1b</b>	Yes	
<b>2</b>	Yes	
<b>4a</b>		No
<b>4b</b>		No
<b>4c</b>		No
<b>5a</b>		No
<b>5b</b>		No
<b>6a</b>		No
<b>6b</b>		No
<b>7</b>		No
<b>8</b>		No
<b>9</b>		

**Part II Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees.** Use duplicate copies if additional space is needed.

For each individual whose compensation must be reported in Schedule J, report compensation from the organization on row (i) and from related organizations, described in the instructions, on row (ii). Do not list any individuals that are not listed on Form 990, Part VII.

**Note.** The sum of columns (B)(i)-(iii) for each listed individual must equal the total amount of Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, applicable column (D) and (E) amounts for that individual.

(A) Name and Title	(B) Breakdown of W-2 and/or 1099-MISC compensation			(C) Retirement and other deferred compensation	(D) Nontaxable benefits	(E) Total of columns (B)(i)-(D)	(F) Compensation reported as deferred in prior Form 990
	(i) Base compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation				
See Additional Data Table							

**Part III Supplemental Information**

Complete this part to provide the information, explanation, or descriptions required for Part I, lines 1a, 1b, 3, 4a, 4b, 4c, 5a, 5b, 6a, 6b, 7, and 8, and for Part II  
Also complete this part for any additional information

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**Form 990, Schedule J, Part II - Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees**

(A) Name	(B) Breakdown of W-2 and/or 1099-MISC compensation			(C) Deferred compensation	(D) Nontaxable benefits	(E) Total of columns (B)(i)-(D)	(F) Compensation reported in prior Form 990 or Form 990-EZ
	(i) Base Compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other compensation				
VICTOR BOSCHINI JR	(i) 930,077			99,647	335,333	121,242	1,486,299
KENNETH STARR	(i) 595,186	100,000		26,504	102,000	30,861	854,551
JAMES P CLEMENTS	(i) 628,087			27,689	15,000	10,644	681,420
WILLIAM POWERS	(i) 613,908				102,754	20,845	737,507
BERNADETTE GRAY-LITTLE	(i) 407,786			57,420	21,254	60,880	547,340
STEVEN LEATH	(i) 448,800				102,000	18,057	568,857
DAVID BOREN	(i) 364,905	70,000		6,125	85,998		527,028
KIRK SCHULZ	(i) 400,825	5,952			21,250	38,245	466,272
BURNS HARGIS	(i) 345,509			20,000	17,328	9,730	392,567
GUY BAILEY	(i) 351,228					23,712	374,940
LAWRENCE SCHOVANEC	(i) 257,388					29,388	286,776
BOB BOWLSBY	(i) 971,427			22,429	195,893	18,853	1,208,602
TIM WEISER	(i) 206,000			15,730	29,760	18,853	270,343
TIM ALLEN	(i) 154,750			9,841	24,760	19,253	208,604
DRU HANCOCK	(i) 154,750			8,940	24,760	7,483	195,933
STEVE PACE	(i) 142,752			12,438	22,840	7,083	185,113
JOHN UNDERWOOD	(i) 137,250			10,843	20,588	19,253	187,934
BOB BURDA	(i) 126,000			10,262	20,160	14,892	171,314
ED STEWART	(i) 117,750			10,024	18,840	19,253	165,867

## Schedule L

## Transactions with Interested Persons

► Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, lines 25a, 25b, 26, 27, 28a, 28b, or 28c, or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 38a or 40b.

► Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ. ► See separate instructions.

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**Part I Excess Benefit Transactions (section 501(c)(3) and section 501(c)(4) organizations only)**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 25a or 25b, or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 40b.

1	(a) Name of disqualified person	(b) Relationship between disqualified person and organization	(c) Description of transaction		(d) Corrected?	
			Yes	No		

2 Enter the amount of tax incurred by organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under section 4958. \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

## **Part II      Loans to and/or From Interested Persons.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 38a, or Form 990, Part IV, line 26, or if the organization reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 5, 6, or 22

(a) Name of interested person	(b) Relationship with organization	(c) Purpose of loan	(d) Loan to or from the organization?		(e) Original principal amount	(f) Balance due	(g) In default?		(h) Approved by board or committee?		(i) Written agreement?	
			To	From			Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
Total			►	\$								

### **Part III Grants or Assistance Benefitting Interested Persons.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 27.

<b>(a) Name of interested person</b>	<b>(b) Relationship between Interested person and the organization</b>	<b>(c) Amount of assistance</b>	<b>(d) Type of assistance</b>	<b>(e) Purpose of assistance</b>

**Part IV Business Transactions Involving Interested Persons.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 28a, 28b, or 28c.

(a) Name of interested person	(b) Relationship between interested person and the organization	(c) Amount of transaction	(d) Description of transaction	(e) Sharing of organization's revenues?	
				Yes	No
(1) PAYOGFE	CFO OWNS PAYOGF	34,345	PROCESSING PAYMENTS		No

**Part V Supplemental Information**

Complete this part to provide additional information for responses to questions on Schedule L (see instructions)

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation

**SCHEDULE O**  
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service**Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ**

Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on  
Form 990 or to provide any additional information.  
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ORGANIZATIONS MISSION	FORM 990 - ORGANIZATION'S MISSION	ADVANCE STANDARDS OF SCHOLARSHIP, SPORTSMANSHIP AND EQUITY CONSISTENT WITH THE HIGHEST IDEALS OF CONFERENCE MEMBERSHIP ORGANIZE, PROMOTE AND ADMINISTER INTERCOLLEGIATE ATHLETICS AMONG ITS MEMBER INSTITUTIONS OPTIMIZE REVENUES AND PROVIDE SUPPORTING SERVICE SOMPATIBLE WITH BOTH ACADEMIC AND COMPETITIVE EXCELLENCE

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
ALL OTHER ACCOMPLISHMENT DESCRIPTION	FORM 990, PAGE 2, PART III, LINE 4D	OTHER PROGRAM RELATED SERVICE EXPENSES SUCH AS NON-EMPLOYEE PROFESSIONAL FEES, ADVERTISING, TRAVEL, ETC

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
CLASSES OF MEMBERS OR STOCKHOLDERS	FORM 990, PAGE 6, PART VI, LINE 6	EACH UNIVERSITY AS A MEMBER OF THE CONFERENCE ELECTS A MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
ELECTION OF MEMBERS AND THEIR RIGHTS	FORM 990, PAGE 6, PART VI, LINE 7A	EACH UNIVERSITY AS A MEMBER OF THE CONFERENCE ELECTS A MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
OFFICERS WHO CANNOT BE REACHED	FORM 990, PAGE 6, PART VI, LINE 9	WILLIAM POWERS UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AUSTIN, TX 78713 DAVID BOREN UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA NORMAN, OK 73019 BURNS HARGIS OKLAHOMA STATE UNIVERSITY STILLWATER, OK 74078 VICTOR BOSCHINI, JR TEXAS CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY FORT WORTH, TX 76129 GUY BAILEY TEXAS TECH UNIVERSITY LUBBOCK, TX 79409 KENNETH STARR BAYLOR UNIVERSITY WACO, TX 76711 STEVEN LEATH IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY AMES, IA 50011 KIRK SCHULZ KANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY MANHATTAN, KS 66506 BERNADETTE GRAY-LITTLE UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS LAWRENCE, KS 66045 JAMES P CLEMENTS WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY MORGANTOWN, WV 26506

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
ORGANIZATION'S PROCESS USED TO REVIEW FORM 990	FORM 990, PAGE 6, PART VI, LINE 11B	THE CONFERENCE'S FORM 990 IS PREPARED BY MANAGEMENT, REVIEWED BY AND INDEPENDENT CPA FIRM AND PROVIDED TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS TO REVIEW AND APPROVE PRIOR TO FILING

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
ENFORCEMENT OF CONFLICTS POLICY	FORM 990, PAGE 6, PART VI, LINE 12C	PROVISION OF THE CONFERENCES'S CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY ARE DETAILED IN THE CONFERENCE HANDBOOK ANNUALLY, EMPLOYEES ARE REQUIRED TO SIGN CONFLICT OF INTEREST STATEMENTS

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
COMPENSATION PROCESS FOR TOP OFFICIAL	FORM 990, PAGE 6, PART VI, LINE 15A	THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION POLICY IS RESPONSIBLE FOR PREPARING AND APPROVING THE TOTAL COMPENSATION OF THE CORPORATION'S SENIOR EXECUTIVES TO ENSURE THAT COMPENSATION PAID TO SUCH EXECUTIVES IS REASONABLE AND DOES NOT RESULT IN EXCESSIVE AND INAPPROPRIATE BENEFIT. THE BOARD SHALL REVIEW AND APPROVE, ON AN ANNUAL BASIS, EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION. THIS PROCESS IS INTENDED TO RESULT IN COMPENSATION DECISIONS THAT ARE CONSISTENT WITH THE CORPORATION'S FULFILLMENT OF ITS MISSION AS SET FORTH IN THE CORPORATION'S ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION, AS WELL AS THE CORPORATION'S COMPENSATION POLICY.

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COMPENSATION PROCESS FOR OFFICERS	FORM 990, PAGE 6, PART VI, LINE 15B	THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION POLICY IS RESPONSIBLE FOR PREPARING AND APPROVING THE TOTAL COMPENSATION OF THE CORPORATION'S SENIOR EXECUTIVES TO ENSURE THAT COMPENSATION PAID TO SUCH EXECUTIVES IS REASONABLE AND DOES NOT RESULT IN EXCESSIVE AND INAPPROPRIATE BENEFIT. THE BOARD SHALL REVIEW AND APPROVE, ON AN ANNUAL BASIS, EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION. THIS PROCESS IS INTENDED TO RESULT IN COMPENSATION DECISIONS THAT ARE CONSISTENT WITH THE CORPORATION'S FULFILLMENT OF ITS MISSION AS SET FORTH IN THE CORPORATION'S ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION, AS WELL AS THE CORPORATION'S COMPENSATION POLICY.

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GOVERNING DOCUMENTS DISCLOSURE EXPLANATION	FORM 990, PAGE 6, PART VI, LINE 19	THE CONFERENCE DETERMINES ON A CASE BY CASE BASIS EACH REQUEST BY THE PUBLIC FOR THE INFORMATION CONCERNING THE CONFERENCE

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
RECONCILIATION OF CHANGES - OTHER	FORM 990, PART XI, LINE 9	RECLASS TO REFLECT REIMBURSEMENT OF PROGRAM EXP INCURRED 302,873 RECLASS TO REFLECT REIMBURSEMENT OF PROGRAM EXP INCURRED -302,873